# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

## **FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 4028H.06T

Bill No.: Truly Agreed To and Finally Passed CCS No. 2 for SS for HB 2149

Subject: Professional Registration and Licensing; Health Care Professionals; Dentists;

Physical Therapists; Compacts

Type: Original Date: June 2, 2022

Bill Summary: This proposal modifies provisions relating to professional licensing.

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025		
<b>Total Estimated</b>					
<b>Net Effect on</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0		
General Revenue					

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025		
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
Effect on Other State					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025		
Federal Funds*					
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
Effect on All Federal					
Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0		

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)					
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025		
<b>Total Estimated Net</b>					
Effect on FTE	0	0	0		

Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any
of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

☐ Estimated Net Effect (savings or increased revenues) expected to exceed \$250,000 in any of
the three fiscal years after implementation of the act or at full implementation of the act.

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	

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## **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

## **ASSUMPTION**

Sections 345.015- 345.240 – Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact

Oversight assumes the proposal adopts the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact. The compact creates a joint public agency known as the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Compact Commission. The Department of Commerce and Insurance (DCI) has powers and duties as listed in the compact and shall enforce the provisions and rules of the compact. DCI shall provide for the development, maintenance, and utilization of a coordinated database and reporting system containing licensure, adverse action, and investigative information on all licensed individuals in member states.

Officials from the **Department of Commerce and Insurance (DCI)** state that it is uncertain if the compact (Sections 345.015 – 345.085) would be enacted in FY23, FY24 or FY25. Once the compact is enacted the Division would have a fiscal impact of \$3,000 to \$6,000 estimated annual fees to participate in the compact.

**Oversight** assumes DCI is provided with core funding to handle a certain amount of activity each year. Oversight assumes DCI could absorb the stated anticipated costs related to this proposal. If multiple bills pass which require additional staffing and duties at substantial costs, DCI could request funding through the appropriation process.

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Officials from the Office of Administration - Administrative Hearing Commission, the Department of Health and Senior Services, the Department of Revenue, the Department of Public Safety (Fire Safety and Directors Office), the Missouri Department of Agriculture and the Missouri Department of Conservation each assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their respective organizations. Oversight does not have any information to the contrary. Therefore, Oversight will reflect a zero impact in the fiscal note for these agencies.

## Rule Promulgation

Officials from the **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules** assume this proposal is not anticipated to cause a fiscal impact beyond its current appropriation.

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State (SOS)** note many bills considered by the General Assembly include provisions allowing or requiring agencies to submit rules and regulations to implement the act. The SOS is provided with core funding to handle a certain amount of normal activity resulting from each year's legislative session. The fiscal impact for

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this fiscal note to the SOS for Administrative Rules is less than \$5,000. The SOS recognizes that this is a small amount and does not expect that additional funding would be required to meet these costs. However, the SOS also recognizes that many such bills may be passed by the General Assembly in a given year and that collectively the costs may be in excess of what the office can sustain with its core budget. Therefore, the SOS reserves the right to request funding for the cost of supporting administrative rules requirements should the need arise based on a review of the finally approved bills signed by the governor.

FISCAL IMPACT – State Government	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
	(10 Mo.)		
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT – Local Government	FY 2023 (10 Mo.)	FY 2024	FY 2025
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

### FISCAL IMPACT – Small Business

Certain professional licensees could be impacted by this proposal.

### FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation would enact provisions related to professional licensing.

This proposal has an emergency clause for section 324.005.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

## SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of Administration - Administrative Hearing Commission Department of Commerce and Insurance Department of Health and Senior Services Department of Revenue Department of Revenue Department of Public Safety – Fire Safety L.R. No. 4028H.06T Bill No. Truly Agreed To and Finally Passed CCS No. 2 for SS for HB 2149 Page **5** of **5** June 2, 2022

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